## **HOUSE BILL 1155**

By Rogers

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 5, relative to the hiring of local education agency employees.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-2-301(b)(1)(EE), is amended by deleting the punctuation ";" and by substituting instead the following:

. The director of schools shall not discriminate or demonstrate a preference in the hiring of any candidate for a position based on the candidate's race, gender or ethnicity; SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013, the public welfare requiring it.